

IN SOCIETY CIRCLES.

Recent Social Events in Topeka and Vicinity.

GENERAL NOTES OF SOCIETY.

Personal Items of Interest About Topeka People and Visitors in Town.

One of the pleasantest of social functions was the first capital luncheon given by Miss Blanche Dineen on Monday at 2 o'clock, to the ladies of the Merwin-Eberle wedding party. The table was ornamented with a bowl of pink chrysanthemums as a centerpiece. Smilax wreathed the chandelier and was festooned from it to the four corners of the table and continued there. At each place was a delicate pink rosebud and a souvenir card with Miss Dineen's name on it. The dainty menu was served in seven courses and the whole affair was worthy of so charming a hostess. Those present were Miss Gertrude Merwin, her guest Mrs. Howard Hinkle of St. Joseph, Miss Edith Eberle, Miss Marie Norton, and Miss Willie Tomlinson.

Constantine Stafford. At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Miss May Stafford and M. J. Louis Constant were united in marriage by Rev. A. S. Eubank at his home on Taylor street. The bride wore a tawny-colored cloth traveling dress trimmed with velvet, with hat and gloves to match. Miss Stafford has been an employee of Miss Price for some time and Mr. Constant is bookkeeper at E. R. Guild's music store. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for Ottawa, where they will be the guests of the groom's father for a short time. After December 13 Mr. and Mrs. Constant will be at home to their friends at 1339 Madison street.

Birthday Party. Miss Stella Biddle entertained friends on Monday evening in celebration of her fourteenth birthday. Music, games and refreshments occupied the time. Those who enjoyed Miss Biddle's hospitality were Misses Maud Oliver, Clara Shipman, Jennie Green, Della Higgins, Marjorie Lewis, Stella and Tennie Biddle, Messrs. Louis Wilson, Arthur Green, Fred Bear, Walter Pyle, James Carr and Frank Heam.

General Social Notes. Mrs. F. O. Popejoy entertained at lunch Monday complimentary to Mrs. O. D. Wetherell of Chicago. The other guests were Mrs. Wetherell's mother Mrs. J. P. Senour, Mrs. A. D. Gray, Mrs. T. S. Shook, Mrs. C. C. Denning, Mrs. Wetherell left for her home today. Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith, Miss Gertrude Roberts, Mr. George Rust and Mr. Frank Edson took tea with Miss Carrie Clarkson Monday evening and spent a delightful informal evening after cards.

Mr. E. R. Merwin and Mr. F. O. Popejoy left today for the east. Miss Anna Banks, who is in attendance at the University, will spend Thanksgiving at home.

Mrs. M. Levi and Mrs. E. W. Wolf entertained Monday evening complimentary to Mrs. H. Hall and Mrs. Eugene Mitchell of Minneapolis.

Professor Henry Worral is visiting in the east. Miss Betty Glass, of Kansas City, returned home today accompanied by Miss Belle Ettinger.

The Fanny club met with Miss Jessie Small yesterday afternoon. Miss Margaret Bradley entertained a few friends at dinner Monday evening for her friend, Miss Rose Dyar of St. Louis, who has been her guest for some time and who will leave for home tomorrow. Miss May Everett and Messrs. Charles Holman, Paul Torrington and Ned O'Brien were the other guests.

Mr. W. G. Castine of Anthony, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Oliver. Mr. J. H. Wetherell will give his Thanksgiving party in the evening instead of the afternoon.

Mr. Maurice Gould will go to Wamego for Thanksgiving as the guest of his sister.

Mrs. J. L. Langston entertained about fifty members of Lincoln Circle No. 1, ladies of the G. A. R., yesterday afternoon. She was assisted by her niece Mrs. Shafer, and Mrs. Jennie Wehe.

Mr. J. M. Meade, resident engineer of the western grand division of the Santa Fe and Colorado Midland lines, is in the city spending Thanksgiving with his family.

Ex-Secretary of State James Smith and Mrs. Smith will chaperone a party composed of Misses Ida Smith, Jessie Van Amburgh, Messrs. Lee Sedwell and Oscar Webb to Kansas City to see the Thanksgiving game of football.

Mrs. M. E. Godfrey and son Samuel have returned from Long Island, where they have been visiting relatives for the past six weeks.

Miss Ella Bartenoux, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cook for a day this week, has returned to her home in Lawrence.

The Morgan family of Topeka has re-

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PINEAPPLE RECIPES.

This Delicious Fruit Can Be Prepared in a Variety of Ways.

The most important thing to know about pineapples is how to cut them, and ignorance of the proper manner in which this should be done is responsible for much of the distaste awarded to this tender and delicious fruit.

The pine should first be peeled, taking care to cut well inside the eyes to remove the sharp spear which each eye contains. Then stand the pine on end and wring off the crown or top, never cut it off.

With a sharp knife then cut the pine in thin slices from top to bottom and keep turning the pine around and slice to the core. Put the slices in a dish and let stand until ready to serve, when sugar may be added if desired.

Under no circumstance add the sugar until the last moment, as it draws out the juices of the fruit and injures the flavor.

This is a tender point and one not generally known, but if you will follow these directions fully the result will be a dish incapable of harm to anyone, both tender and delicious.

Pineapple shortcake is a tempting dessert and is made as follows:

Take half a cupful of butter, one cupful of sugar, half a cupful of milk, two cupfuls of flour and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Bake in two layers and spread chopped pineapple between the layers after the cake is cold. This recipe is very popular down where the pines grow, but any recipe for strawberry shortcake will do as well by substituting the pine for the berries.

Another and still more delicious use for this fruit is known as pineapple bignards.

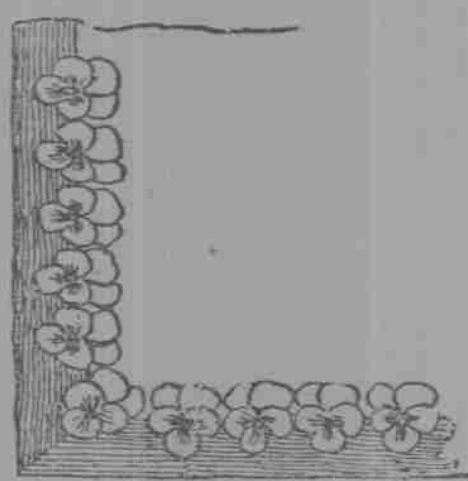
Cut the pine into pieces the size of a silver quarter dollar and a quarter of an inch thick. Let these steep for an hour in brandy, sweetened with powdered sugar, then dip in batter and fry in boiling fat until they are quite crisp and of a golden yellow color. Take them up in a strainer and put them in a hot baking tin, sprinkle with confectioner's sugar and set in a hot oven to glaze. When they look bright and glossy dish on white paper and serve hot.—N. Y. Herald.

PRETTY TEA CLOTHS.

Considered an Essential Part of a Correct Entertaining.

The fashion in five o'clock tea cloths ordains that a cloth of fine white linen should have a deep border of rich brocade, the seams where the two materials join being covered by a row of large single flowers embroidered in creased stitch. The linen center is then covered with tiny stars embroidered in the color of the brocade. Thus a cloth with a pale mauve brocade border has a row of embroidered pansies covering the seam and pale mauve stars in the center.

Lace borders are more and more used in embroidery, on the ground that they furnish the appearance of fancy stitches without the trouble of making them. An afternoon tea cloth recently presented to a bride was of white silk,



TEA CLOTH BORDER.

bordered with white and silver brocade, with an inscription of beautiful lace between the silk and the brocade. In each corner of the silk center was an exquisite group of the bride's name—flower worked in raised white silk embroidery, outlined with silver thread. In the center her monogram was worked, and it was surrounded by a garland of the same flowers tied with a true-lover's knot.—N. Y. Tribune.

Recipe for Almond Macaroons.

Peel boiling water over half a pound of shelled almonds, remove the outer skin and plunge into cold water for a few minutes, then pound them to a smooth paste, adding a teaspoonful of lemon essence; add a pound of pulverized sugar and the beaten whites of three eggs. Work the paste together, dip the hands in water and roll the paste into balls the size of large nutmegs. Lay on buttered paper an inch apart. Dip hands in water and pass finger tips over macaroons to make them smooth and shining. Set in a cool oven for forty-five minutes. These macaroons are very nice, and if made right are as good as those made by confectioners.

For Nervous Headache.

A simple but often effective way of relieving nervous headache is to bathe the head freely in water as hot as can be borne. This should be applied not alone to the temples, but to the back of the ears and the back of the neck, where the nerves are very numerous. The effect is, in most cases, soothing and beneficial.

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Homer.

Topeka Coal Co.

Irwin Lodge No. 260, A. O. U. W., will give their annual ball Thanksgiving night at K. of P. hall, corner Sixth and Quincy. Watson's orchestra will furnish the music.

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The ladies of the Third Presbyterian church will give an entertainment and serve supper at the church, corner Fourth and Branner streets, Thanksgiving evening, 25 cents.

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What Women Dislike in Men.

My friend Woman has been discussing "What shortcoming in a man is most distasteful to a woman?" A plebeian has been taken on the subject, and the result is instructive. I had imagined, from cursory glances at such books as "The Heavenly Twins," which purport to give the fine fleur of female thought, that the "wickedness" of my down-trodden sex was the thing that no woman could stand. But, not out of hundreds of women, not a single one objects to a man being "wicked." Only 14 have any marked objection to "unfaithfulness" or "inconstancy," while 115 consider a lack of good manners as the most unendurable defect in a man.

One woman considers "shyness" the unpardonable sin. Another can apparently stand all known vices, but cannot endure an unknown one, which she calls "ineffectualness." There is one woman who seriously dislikes a want of humor in a man, which is rather surprising. Altogether woman has unearthed about 50 vices in my unhappy sex, each one of which is the worst possible in the eyes of some one or more fair ones. I should have hesitated to allude to the matter at all were I not encouraged by the fact that only one voter objects to "the covert sneer at women."—Pall Mall Budget.

The Contrast.

The new woman has been on a tour in the provinces in the hope of converting England to her newness. At least I suppose Miss Bacon is a new woman.

At dawn on Aug. 3 she mounted her bicycle in London and made for the east coast. Thence she journeyed by way of Peterboro, York and Durham to Edinburgh, and then back again to London through the lake district and Chester.

Altogether Miss Bacon covered 1,200 miles and wore rational dress all the way. And no one, I am glad to hear, even laughed at her.

Nor has the tour been barren of proselytes. Among the lakes she ran into a rational home reading party, which seems to have consisted mainly of the other kind of woman in irrational costumes.

Miss Bacon took them up Skiddaw as an object lesson. And when they came down, lo, the other kind of woman was all muddy and bedraggled, while the new woman was nice and tidy.

And so the other kind of woman is thinking of becoming rational.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Women Who Tempt Thieves.

The latest craze among ladies of fashion takes the form of wearing a miniature watch outside the dress or jacket, suspended by a slender gold chain, which in its turn is attached to a brooch pin, fastened at the collar. Anything more calculated to tempt the light fingered fraternity could scarcely be conceived, especially as many of the watches are thus carelessly displayed are of considerable value, many of them being studded with jewels at the back. The result of the latest mode has been what might naturally be expected. Scores of ladies have been robbed of their precious trinkets within the past week or so, and not a day passes but a theft of the kind is reported to the police in the neighborhood of Regent street and Piccadilly. Many of the robbers have been committed in broad daylight, and the thieves have in nearly every instance succeeded in making good their escape. Last evening a lady lost in this way a beautiful diamond ring valued at \$50.—Philadelphia Times.

The New Crop of Femininity.

To ride, swim, fence, paddle a canoe and put up a good game of tennis is part of a girl's ordinary education, and unless able to do all these things she is very much out of it with young people of her own age. Nor can the benefits of all this increase of physical vigor on the part of our young women be over-rated. Fewer fat and lean girls are seen. The new crop of femininity springing up is less given to nerves, fainting fits and hysterics than were their mothers; they have firmer, finer figures, larger waists, square shoulders, slender limbs and walk with better poise. The bicycle and gymnasium have pretty well annihilated the wasp waist, and girls, as a rule, regard invalidism as a sort of disgrace. Lydia Languish is not only uninteresting, but she is bad form, and the proudest boast of the modern maid is that she never was sick a day in her life.—St. Louis Republic.

Citizenship and Suffrage.

Women have always been legally citizens, but citizens have not always been legally voters. More than 40 years ago, under a Democratic administration, two sisters of the writer, having occasion to pursue their medical studies in Europe, took out United States passports from the state department at Washington as American citizens. But in order to extend citizenship to negroes an amendment to the United States constitution now defines citizenship in express terms as follows: "All persons born or naturalized in the United States and of the state in which they reside." And the United States courts have decided that "women are citizens and may be made voters by appropriate state legislation."—Boston Woman's Journal.

Alice Jordan Blake.

Yale college has turned out its first feminine graduate. She is a Michigan woman, Mrs. Alice Jordan Blake. After having won very high honors in her home schools she sought admission to the law classes of Columbia and Harvard and was rejected by both of them. Yale was more kind to her. She was permitted to study the law course there, without the promised stimulus of a degree. She passed with so much éclat, however, that, contrary to the wishes of President Porter, the faculty of the college met in special session and voted her a degree with full honors. Miss Jordan moved to California and married Mr. Blake. They now live in Seattle.—New York Mail and Express.

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Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, per lb.....	25	3 lbs. Choice Mince Meat.....	25
5 lbs. Large California Raisins.....	25	2 lbs. Choice Apple Butter.....	15
7 lbs. English Currants.....	25	4 lbs. White Lard.....	25
2 lbs. Cal. Evaporated Apples.....	25	No. 1 Sugar Cured Hams, per lb.....	11
3 lbs. California Pitted Plums.....	25	Sugar Cured Cal. Hams, per lb.....	08
Best Ginger Snaps, per lb.....	05	Dry Salt Meat, per lb.....	08
Soda Crackers, per lb. by box.....	03 1/2	Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, per lb.....	11
6 lbs. Split Peas.....	25	Boneless Ham, per lb.....	10
6 lbs. Green Peas.....	25	2 pks. Buckwheat Flour.....	25
6 bars Gran Pa's Wonder Soap.....	25	1 gal. Pure Maple Syrup.....	65
7 lbs. Hand Picked Navy Beans.....	25	2 dozen Dill Pickles.....	25
2 lbs. English Walnuts.....	25	2 cans Solid Packed Tomatoes.....	15
2 lbs. Brazil Nuts.....	25	2 cans Sugar Corn.....	10
2 lbs. Filberts.....	25	2 cans Marrowfat Peas.....	15
Almonds, per lb.....	20	4 cans String Peas.....	15
Keg fine Syrup.....	1 00	All kinds pkg. Coffee, per pkg.....	21

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FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

A Disappointment.
Little May came in from school. All her features were aglow. "Miss Travilla wants me all. Mother, dearest, may I go?" "Chase who wants to form a band?" "You her biggest little wing." "Mother, yes, to see the clock." "Very well, but don't be long." Too well trained to answer "Why?" May looked on in sad surprise. Mother, busy, did not see. Tears were standing in her eyes. Alas, waiting at the gate. Wondered at the long delay. Slowly out upon the porch. Came the disappointed May. "Harry, May, or we'll be late. Why, you're crying. What is wrong?" Brown headed, and frowning. "Mother says, I can't leave."—Youth's Companion.

A Little Crown Prince.

Luis Felipe, the little boy whose portrait is given here, is crown prince of Portugal and will one day be king of no revolution in the future. His mother was the eldest and favorite child of the late Count of Paris. She is now but 29



muslin. Let them be wide and full and confine them at the wrist. Sew on the arms to the shoulders or bust of the doll. They should be made as if she were holding out her front with them.

Prepare a silk skirt and plait it on to the doll's waist, concealing the joint with a belt or sash. You may add an apron of thin crape trimmed with ribbon and tucked up at one corner with a small flower.

Put silk shoes on her feet, having sewed on the legs of the doll in such a manner that they will move easily from the knees.

Take a small spool or ball of black sewing silk. Pass one end of it through the body of the doll, and having made a large knot at this end tie it to the bar of a chair. Slip the doll along the thread of silk till she is about a yard from the chair. Then place yourself in front of her, holding the spool in your hand. You may stand two yards from the doll. Jerk the thread up and down so as to move the doll and make her feet go as if they were dancing.

When you are about to put her away, draw in the thread close to her back—the knot will prevent its coming through—wind up the spool and lay it with the doll in her box or drawer.

There must be a flat skirt of pasteboard under the silk skirt to shape it out, and to the middle of this pasteboard the legs must be loosely fastened, but not so as to endanger their dropping off.—Doll's Dressmaker.



years old and is much loved by the subjects of her husband, the king of Portugal. Their union was a love match, an uncommon thing in royal circles. The king of Portugal was the Duke of Braganca when he married Helena, or, to give her the full name, Amalia Louise Helena Orleans. Luis Felipe was the title of duke of Braganca, which became his when his father took the throne.

The Financial Question.

Tommy has a popcorn ball and a penny. Frank has a bag of peanuts. Frank—Let's play store! You buy a penny's worth of my peanuts, an 'en I'll buy a penny's worth of your popcorn, an 'en you can buy some more peanuts, an 'en I can buy more popcorn, an 'en! Tommy—Yes, but (cautionally)—but who'll have the penny when everything's at up?—Kate Field's Washington.

A Wealthy Little Queen.

Wilhelmina, the little Dutch queen, is 14 years of age and has an income of about \$250,000. If she lives until Aug. 13, 1905, she will be crowned ruler of Holland.